

# TE PUKE INTERMEDIATE SCHOOL LATIMER AWARD 2026



## LEVEL OF ACHIEVEMENT

**Bronze Award** - Achieve 3/6 verified events in all categories of Sport, Arts, Academic and School Culture

**Silver Award** - To achieve 4/6 verified events in all categories of Sport, Arts, Academic and School Culture

**Gold Award** - To achieve 5/6 verified events in all categories of Sport, Arts, Academic and School Culture

### ACADEMIC

- Present a school speech/ PBL task competently
- Complete Readathon/Hells Pizza Reading Challenge
- Publish Hero Learning Posts (2 Reading, 2 Writing, 2 Math per term minimum)
- Participate in the Academic Decathlon completing a minimum of 7 out of 10 tasks
- Recite all times tables to 10
- Create a publicly shared piece of writing/present your pepeha competently

### SPORT

- Participate fully in the Kia Kaha Fun Run to completion, which includes raising money.
- Participate fully in school Cross Country /Swimming Sports / Athletics
- Play sport in a team for TPI for a sustained period of time eg: a full term, a season, a full day tournament - including trainings.
- Plan and lead a PE Fitness Session – minimum of 15 minutes in length
- Consistently have PE gear
- Consistently show excellent sportsmanship

### ARTS

- Be an active member of the TPI Choir, Kapa Haka, Nesian Pride or Indian Dance Group for a minimum of two terms.
- Have an active role in Cultural Day/Participate in TPI's Got Talent
- Actively participate and contribute across all 4 TECH classes
- Create Visual Art published for school wide /public display art, movie, website design, graphics/ Youtube channel/magazine
- Participate fully in Te Reo Kori or Fresh Moves
- Attend the Formal Social Dance practices + Formal Dance.

### SCHOOL CULTURE

- Consistently demonstrate the School Values and meet Learning Centre expectations.
- Participate in/lead LC Marae Noho/actively participate in Haka Pohiri
- Be an excellent helper during Class Duties/Class Assembly/Open Night /Food Monitor /School Event/Radio Presenter/Sound Box/Diwali.
- Participate in the 40 Hour Challenge or one other school fundraiser.
- Achieve 90% Attendance
- Attend the Learning Conference, contributing to learning discussions.

## DISTINCTION AWARD

Achieve a Gold award and also complete the Community service section. All events must be verified and confirmed by the Deputy Principal.

### DISTINCTION CRITERIA

1. A thorough explanation of the planning process to be completed by staff.
2. Verification must be obtained on letterhead of organisation and cannot be written by an immediate family member.
3. Individual letters of verification must be received by the stated deadline.
4. Section 2 or 3 cannot be completed at the same club as section 1.

### COMMUNITY (2 OUT OF 3 TO BE COMPLETED)

- Belong to a community group or club for a minimum of six months consecutively
- AND**
- Volunteer your services to a neighbour in need for a **minimum of 8 hours**
- OR**
- Volunteer your time to a charity / complete a social action / non-profit making organisation for a **minimum of 8 hours**